

1 THE HONORABLE RICHARD A. JONES

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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
8 AT SEATTLE

9 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,) No. CR18-145RAJ
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11 Plaintiff,)
12) ORDER CONTINUING TRIAL DATE
13 v.)
14 BOBBY BARNARD BEASLEY,)
Defendant.)

15 THIS MATTER has come before the Court upon the oral motion of defense
16 counsel at a status hearing conducted on May 6, 2019. Having heard from defense
17 counsel, who has recently been appointed to represent Defendant Beasley, and from
18 counsel for the Government, having considered the files and records herein, and
19 Defendant having represented he agrees to waive his right to a speedy trial and will
20 file a waiver of his right to a speedy trial to a time beyond the new trial date, the Court
finds as follows:

21 The Court finds that the ends of justice will be served by ordering a continuance
22 in this case, that a continuance is necessary to ensure adequate time for effective case
23 preparation, and that these factors outweigh the best interests of the public and
24 defendant in a speedy trial.

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1 1. A failure to grant the continuance would deny defense counsel the reasonable
2 time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due
3 diligence, within the meaning of 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(iv). In addition, the failure
4 to grant a continuance in the proceeding would be likely to result in a miscarriage of
5 justice, within the meaning of 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(i).

6 2. The ends of justice will be served by ordering a continuance in this case, as a
7 continuance is necessary to ensure adequate time for the defense to effectively prepare
8 for trial. All of these factors outweigh the best interests of the public and defendant in
9 a more speedy trial, within the meaning of 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7).

10 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Defendant's motion to continue trial date
11 is GRANTED. The trial date shall be continued from May 6, 2019, to November 4,
12 2019. All remaining pretrial motions, including motions in limine, shall be filed no
13 later than September 26, 2019.

14 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the resulting period of delay from the date of
15 this order to the new trial date of November 4, 2019, is hereby excluded for speedy
16 trial purposes under 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) and (h)(7)(B)(iv).

17 DATED this 6th day of May, 2019.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Richard A. Jones", written over a horizontal line.

18 The Honorable Richard A. Jones
19 United States District Judge
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